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**REPLY TO THE OFFICE ACTION OF MAY 2, 2008**

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Amendments to the Claims beginning on page 2 of this paper; and

Remarks beginning on page 6 of this paper.